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international diary

1 anatoliy naymushin sofia report on approval of ustinov's
speech to armed forces veterans, interviewing lyubomir
barutchiyev, official from committee of fighters against fascism
and capitalism, who praises intrnatl significance of that meeting.
(3 min: home 1745)

2 aleksandr kurilin bonn report on continuing antimissile
movement in frg, citing 13 dec national day of action. (2.5
min: home 1745)

3 andrey ptashnikov reports on peace actions around usa,
interviewing peace campaigner (sam ruddock) who says peace is
only way for mankind, but that u.s. government pays no heed.
(2.5 min: home 1745)

4 igor vykhukholev tokyo report on background and current
political scene for forthcoming parliamentary elections. (3
min: home 1745)

5 yuriy kobaladze london report on reverbations of
confrontation between printers' union and government, criticising
antiunion legislation of government. (4 min: home 1745)

global

6 anon on 1984 prospects for socialist community, touching
on economic growth, proposals on curbing nuclear arms race. (7
min: viet 1300 1400)

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7 soviet panorama: incl interview with new zealander
(marilyan petter) on her impressions of ussr, contrasting position
of soviet and new zealand working people and noting lack of
unemployment in ussr (3 min); rev bill smith of london describes
places of religious interest he visited in soviet armenia, stressing
absence of religious discrimination (7 min). (enguk 2000)

9 notes from a publicist: boris tumanov on anticommunist
theories still circulating in west. says some western circles
say that while socialist countries of eastern europe do not
rejoin capitalist world, peaceful coexistence is compromised.
theoreticians say that all misfortunes of europe after wwii
are result of soviet expansionism; but capitalist west destroyed
socialist revolutions in hungary and germany after wwi and attacked
russia after gosr. imperialism also destroyed socialist experiment
in chile. ussr is willing to dismantle warsaw pact if nato is
simultaneously dissolved. (6 min: french 1830) uS

10 "listeners' program" presented by mikhail sumbatov. he
answers letters on various topics. listener denounces u.s.
armed intervention in grenada, another listener says that answer
is to be found in dra foreign ministry statement on subject.
other letters include questions on facilities in soviet union.
(11 min) persian 1800) uS

11 time, events, people: incl note on importance of peace
on earth, interviewing khabarovsk peace committee secretary;
vladimir tsvetov reviews and comments on listeners' letters
condemning u.s. aggressive policy and arms race. (home 0900
orbita 0900)

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12 "socialist countries and countries on socialist path of development": anon on bulgarian port town of burgas (3 min); interview with angolan journalist (orlando diento) of jornal de angola on developments in education, health services, organizations achievements in town and rural areas, also about consumer goods and defense problems. (3 min). (amharic 161530)

13 "hello prague": incl boris patonov on future roles of soviet orbiting stations; note on competition between czechoslovak airlines and aeroflot on prague-leningrad route to see who can provide best and most efficient service. (czech/slovak 1600)

14 mailbag for british listeners: incl review seasonal greetings from listeners, reciprocated by station staff who also wish peace; reply on availability of "soviet weekly" in britain; reply contrasting role of mass media in ussr and in west; information about amber room of catherine palace and its disappearance during war. (enguk 2000)

15 letters from italy: incl acknowledgement of letters, review letters praising moscow radio program comment; letter criticizing italian journalists who adopt anti-soviet line. (italian 2000)

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16 african mailbag: incl replies on nuclear threat, aftermath of hiroshima and nagasaki bombings; world public's demands for peace and soviet peace efforts; work of soviet red cross and red crescent societies in africa. (engaf 1700)

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disarm

17 summaries pravda editorial article "to divert nuclear threat from europe." (8-4 min: frenchinter 162100 enguk 2000 spanish 162000 amharic 161530 swahili 161730 czech/slovak 1600 jap 161200 hind 1130 burm 1030)

18 yuriy soltan on unga passing soviet sponsored declaration to condemn nuclear war and a resolution to freeze nuclear arsenals. 3

15-4 min, sent: enginter 1410 1810 2110 engna 2300 spanla 2300 italian 1800 portuguese 1800 german 1600 turkish 1400 persian 1500 1700 somali 1600 swahili 1730 albanian 1530 bulgarian 1630 czech/slovak 1600 polish 1500 serbo 1700 kor 1330 mand 1230 camb 1330 lao burm 1430 urdu 1200 1300 beng 1500 indo 1330 1500; anon: hungarian 2000)

19 (viktor vasilyev) on socialist stance, escalation of arms race can only serve purposes of certain powers. (rpt persian 111500) (persian 1800)

20 viktor vasilyev dealing with present strategic weapons balance between ussr and u.s. (rpt german 161700) (polish 1400)

21 vladlen kuznetsov "what is peace loving measured at?" stating that ussr was forced to break off geneva talks with u.s., stressing,

however, that ussr is prepared to react to any positive action. (5 min: german 1700)

22 aleksandr (druzhinin) and other radio moscow correspondents or reactions elicited in several countries on deployment of u.s. missiles in western europe. (4 min: spanla 0000)

U.S. (disarm) 23 main missing is disarmament: review of ustinov speech to soviet veterans, condemning u.s. aggressive military policy and deployment of nuclear missiles (4 min); sa'dallah mazra'ani, mbr politburo of lebanese cp, maintaining that current u.s. admin, since its election, has escalated arms race and exerted pressure on europe to get more involved in arms race, deployment of u.s. nuclear missiles in europe is a threat to world peace, stressing that soviet countermeasures are best possible reply (2.5 min); review of listeners' letters condemning american and israeli policies in mideast, then answering listener's question about effects of nuclear war on atmosphere (7 min). (14 min overall: arabic 1530)

U.S. Israel 'nuc war ME 24 "for peace and security in europe": roundup of stmts and reading listeners letters stressing need to work for peace and disarmament in europe. (10 min: italian 2000)

U.S. 25 dmitriy andreyev sketch on imaginary mtg in pentagon at some future date, noting general who is chairing mtg voicing satisfaction that all cruise and pershing missiles have been installed, then giving command 'go', noting his subordinates remarks -- surely they have been installed as defense weapons, and reply by general that they must surely know that best form of defense is to attack. (7 min: italian 2000)

Jap U.S. Eur 26 resolution adopted by sov-jap assn at its dec mtg supporting andropov's 24 nov stat on u.s. deployment of medium-range missiles in europe. (8 min, sent: jap 161200)

27 joe adamov with some reflections on 'the day after'. (rpt engna 140001) (engna 2300)

S W. Eur U.S. 28 aleksandr lebedev on worsening intl situation due to nato missile plans and on socialist countries' efforts to preserve peace. (8 min: romanian 1700)

29 "saturday radio": quoting letters by czech, yugoslav, hungarian, and other listeners praising ussr for its struggle against fascism, imperialism, and its present struggle for peace and socialism, preventing u.s. from starting a war. (12 min: macedonian 1820) *us*

30 "we skip through your letters" with vladimir ostrogorskiy reviewing radio moscow's christmas mail, stating that it is not like christmas mail of other years, main subject of letters is conservation of peace. (11 min: german 1600) *9*

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united states

31 reports on moscow meeting between gromyko and u.s. ambassador hartman, with gist remarks exchanged. (tasse 151641) (1.5 min: jap 161000; brief: jap 161200 amharic 161530) *us*

33 anon reviewing history of american battleship uss new jersey as tool of american military policy. (rpt german 161600) (3 min: spencuba 0100 amharic 161530 swahili 161730 hind 1130) *us*

34 prof boris (krichevskiy) on nature of u.s. policy toward nonaligned countries and its belligerent stance toward these countries. cites u.s. aggression in grenada and lebanon.

(6 min: bur 1030)

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35 leonid levchenko "against which countries is usa launching undeclared war?" refers to reagan's remarks at 15 dec lauding role of u.s. troops overseas, criticizes u.s. interference in grenada and lebanon saying that usa is launching aggression against weak nations around world. (5-3 min: enginter 1410 spania 2300 italian 1800 german 1600 turk 1400 persian 1500 1700 czech/slovak 1600 bulg 1630 pol 1500 serbo 1700 kor 1330 mand 1230 camb 1330 lao 1300 beng 1500 urdu 1200 1300 indo 1330 1500 bur 1430; anon: hung 2000)

36 igor aleksandrov on president reagan's remarks on secret operations being integral part of activities by u.s. authorities, and such actions being violation of intnatl law. (sent: engna 2300)

37 anon "sabotage activities of u.s. intelligence." says u.s. president signed bill on cia and fbi budgets; new budget is estimated at billions of dollars; there is no doubt that large sum will be spent on actions against plo. quotes italian paper on cia-mossad plans to assassinate palestinian leaders (6 min: arabic 1500)

39 history club: prof (robert invanov) discusses soviet-american relations during american civil war. says ussr supported lincoln admin. recalls events during war; during both war of independence and civil war relations were friendly. (6 min: engna 0001)

40 boris gillenson presents appreciation of erskine caldwell, re author's 80th birthday 17 december. (engna 2300)

41 youth program: incl note on biographies of prominent personages published in united states. (persian 1700)

42 discussion between two unidentified announcers on hunger in usa, stressing widespread hunger and poverty, mocking administration's lack of urgent action to improve situation. (engna 0001)

americas

43 anon on vernon walter's trip to chile and reagan's letter to pinochet. this shows that the u.s. does not want to lose military, political and economic control over chile. says that the u.s. intends to use chile as a landing stage for its actions in south america. (5 min, poor: spanchile 2100)

44 katia and pepe on new mining code, which was promulgated on 13 december. the law has been categorically rejected by various sectors. claim that the law is against the national interests, because it favors foreign firms. quote el mercurio as reporting that chile has lost \$13 billion as a result of the drop of the price of copper on the international market. claim that this occurred because copper is in the hands of multinational firms. (14 min: spanchile 2130)

45 leonid levchenko re reagan's new york stmt on u.s. invasion of grenada. (rpt enginter 141410) (finnish 141630)

46 yuriy reshetnikov on partial u.s. withdrawal from grenada. (rpt enginter 162110) (enginter 0710 1010 frenchinter 162100)

47 "uruguayan panorama" feature: arismendi participated in act held in buenos aires by argentine communist party. release of the president of the broad front requested. ferreyra aldunate attended alfonsin's inauguration and he made statements to the press on the uruguayan situation. he has been proclaimed presidential candidate of the national party. the newspaper el dia reopened; it carried a front-page article which was harshly critical of the military regime. (8 min: spanla 2300)

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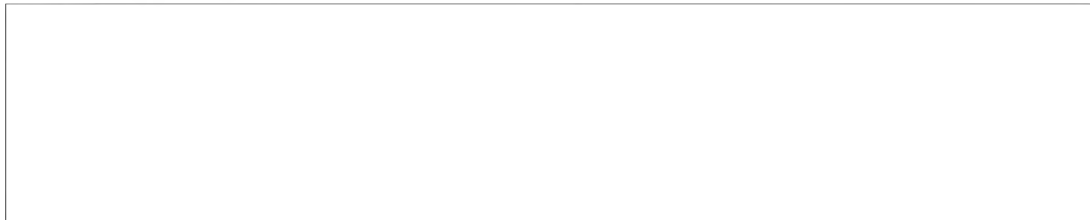
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west europe

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49 summary anon pravda on eec summit. (3 min: finnish 141630)

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50 "frg in mirror of soviet press": leninskaya znamya wrote about debate in bonn bundestag (2 min); pravda interviewed member of dkp (one min); izvestiya on frg peace movement (one min). (overall 5 min: german 1700)

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"Peace movement"

51 "good evening austria" program for austrian listeners.

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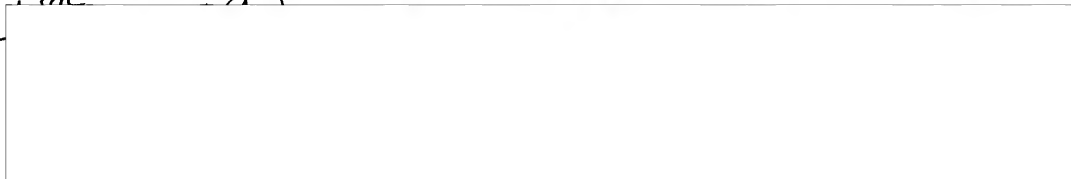
(rpt germaust 122000) (germaust 2000)

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52 report on aliyeu meeting with french cgt delegation, with gist remarks exchanged. (rpt tasse 161733) (250 text: french 1830)

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Yugo



10M CP cong
portugal 54 gist of report by portuguese cp sec gen to tenth national congress. (7 min: jap 161200)

55 mikhail gorbachev speech at tenth congress of portuguese cp. (tasse 151842) (6-4 min: enginter 0710 1010 frenchinter 162100 spancuba 0100 port 1800 arabic 1530 frenchmag 2030 viet 1000; 2.5 min: swahili 161730; 2-1 min: orbita 0001 0400 1030 1345 home 0200 0600 frenchinter 162100/twice/ engna 0001 frenchaf 162030 somali 1600 hindi 1130 1400 thai 1100 mand 0700 } camb 1330
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56 gorbachev remarks at 17 dec oporto meeting with section of
portugal-ussr society. (100 text sent: mayak 1100; one min: mand
1230; brief: home 1200 enginter 1200 1300 1500 2100 enguk 2000
italian 2000 port 1800 turk 1400 serbo 2000 kor 1330)

57 report on gromyko exchange of opinions with vayrynen (1.5 min)

and luncheon speeches by gromyko (3.5 min) and vayrynen (brief).

(5.5 min: finnish 141630)

58 gromyko speech at 13 dec luncheon for finnish foreign

minister vayrynen. (tasse 131854) (1,000 text: finnish 141630)

59 joint soviet-finnish announcement on results of finnish

foreign minister vayrynen's official visit. (tasse 161555)

(4-3 min: enginter 0710 1010 frenchinter 162100; 2-1 min: orbita

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161730 hind 1130 1400-thai 1100 bur 1030 mandsea 1230 viet-1000;

brief: mayak 0430 enginter 0800 1000 1100 frenchinter 162100/twice/

mand 0700)

africa

59a summary moscow news intvw with anatoliy gromyko on problems

of disarmament and africa's place in that respect. (rpt engaf

161700) (engaf 1700 somali 1600)

60 "wave of friendship": ethiopian graduate behailu mengesha

in voice on role of theater and arts in ussr, citing author

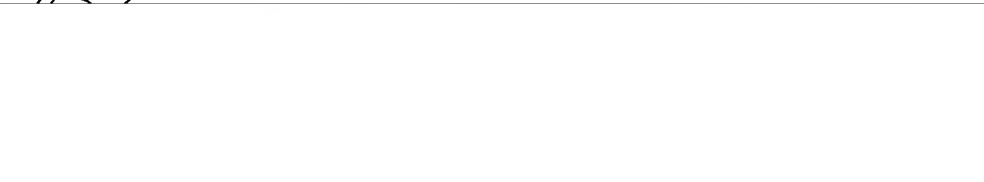
vladimir (amlinskiy) about his meetings with ethiopian poets,

playwrights and artists. (13 min: amharic 161530)

61 yevgeniy stepanov on unsc discussion of situation in southern

africa and angola's appeal. (rpt engaf 161700) (swahili 161730

amhaire 161530 somali 1600)



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63 vladimir borisov on malagasy parliament adoption of 1984
budget (rpt somali 161600) (somali 1600)

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mid east

64 tass commentator anatoliy golovastov claiming u.s. and israel
have suffered a major diplomatic fiasco, re 38th session of unga
which adopted two ssets of resolutions criticizing israel for gross
violation of human rights on occupied arab territories and
condemning israel's nuclear ambitions. (350 text: tasse 0637) 22

65 window on arab world: incl anon on unga resolution condemning
israeli nuclear measures, maintaining israel builds its nuclear
arsenal with consent and support of u.s., also israel refuses to
join intl treaty with bans spreading of nuclear arms. (3 min: 22
arabic 1530 frenchmag 2030) us

66 leonid rassadin beirut dispatch on u.s. interference
prominent in arab press, quoting damascus radio that u.s. armed
provocation against lebanon has become systematic, pointing out
u.s. and israel have set up a joint cmtee which covers military
and political matters, maintaining threat of a larg-scale aggression
against lebanese patriotic forces and syria already looms large.
progressive arab circles censure american policy. (4.5:3 min:
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67 anon on u.s. military presence in lebanon and operations carried out by new jersey and u.s. naval fleet in lebanon. (3 min: persian 1800) US

68 corr intvw with soviet cancer specialist, vladimir grechkov, on his recent visit to iraq. (6 min: arabic 1500)

69 anon on continuing trial of group of patriotic officers of rev guards and of mbrs of tudeh party in tehran. (rpt persian 121700) (persian 1800)

70 ihsan mustafayev on recent u.s.-turkish agmt on use of incirlik base by u.s. for military operations in lebanon, says u.s. is dragging turkey into conflicts in mideast which causes concern in turkey as well as arab countries. (10 min: turkish 1400) US

71 literary program devoted to poems of turkish poet nazim hikmet on zoyak kosmodemyanskaya, a soviet girl who was hanged by germans in 1941. (10 min: turkish 1400)

afghanistan

73 guriy (kutkov) on dra insurgents, matintaining they are ppl who went to pakistan and iran after rev, they are enemies of rev and have been misled by foreign propaganda. (12 min: persian 1800)

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74 anon maintaining afghanistan has become a target of outside interference since april rev, citing facts and figures to this effect, recalling sadat's nbc intvw in which he admitted that at carter's request he agreed to supply surplus soviet weapons and Egyptian weapons to anti-afghan elements in pakistan, pointing out cia bought vast amounts of soviet arms from egypt, quoting nyt that use of foreign weapons was meant to conceal u.s. involvement, stressing that western countries have supplied financial aid to anti-afghan elements and pakistan was chosen as a springboard for interference, mentioning use of chemical weapons. (5.5 min: engna

2300)

75 intvw with (hasan imtiaz), ldr afghan friendship delegation, which visited ussr at invitation of soviet aapso cmtee, touching on ways and means of establishing normal relations btwn afghanistan and iran and pakistan, stressing that afghan proposals are just and fair, and that talks should be held face to face. (3 min: persian 1500 1700)

china

76 mulatov: "u.s. plan on china" saying u.s. planning to narrow gap btwn stands of u.s., prc on global strategy, eventual link up of their stands, thereby incorporating china into u.s. global strategy (6.5 min sent: mand 0700)

77 essay: beginning 1950's, u.s. imposed eco sanctions ags prc, followed by polit, dip, even mil pressure, bringing world to brink of world war. now, u.s. says it is friendly to china. in this case, u.s. should stop violating prc's sovereignty, stop interfering in prc's internal affairs, not obstructing prc's reunification (3.5 min: mandsea 1230)

78 prog for chi soldiers: lt gen (wakechinov) of sov armed forces' polit dept on nato deployment of nuc missile, exposing nato false propaganda regarding nuc deployment to weaken antinuc sentiments in europe (8 min: mand 1600)

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forces' polit dept on nato deployment of nuc missile, exposing nato false propaganda regarding nuc deployment to weaken antinuc sentiments in europe (8 min: mand 1600)

missiles

asia/far east

79 viktor rogov re un resolution urging creation of indian ocean
peace zone. (rot lap 161030) (8 min: thai 1100) US

80 anon re u.s. admiral crowe's bangkok press conf remarks on

U.S. considering possibility of introducing cruise missiles and
chemical weapons to countries of southeast asia. (sent: mayak 0730)

81 aleksandr malik on indian defense minister's expression of

concern over u.s. militarization of indian ocean. points out that

asia would become target for retaliatory strike should usa launch

nuclear attack from that area. (5 min: enginter 1531) US

82 dr of history (aleksandr sabin) on question of whether

n-weapons are stored in jap or not, viewing nakasone's, his

predecessors' insistence that there are no n-weapons in jap because

jap adheres to 3 nonnuke principles. pointing out there is strong
possibility of n-arms stored in jap (8 min: jap 161000)

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83 viktor sivakov: noting japan's increased expansion of trade
and commercial interest in southeast and south asian countries

following reagan's recent visit to japan, states that it is another

move of u.s. japan collusion to capture market of asian countries

and impose u.s.-japan will on them. also expressing concern over

growing u.s.-japan military cooperation and points out that it can

only jeopardize peace in asia. (7 min, poor: hind 1400)

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84 (bulatov) on thai attitude toward kampuchea, saying thailand bombards kampuchea on land, infringes kampuchea's territorial waters. (7 min: mandsea 1230)

85 vasilii fedorov reviews aspects of soviet assistance to vietnam, citing goods provided, projects undertaken with soviet assistance, soviet training of viet specialists. (5 min: enginter 1531)

86 viet expert (nguyen thanh lieu) dissertation on characteristics of semiconductors. (viet 161000) (3.5 min: viet 1300 1400)

87 interview with hcm city tu deleg head (le hong chuong) during visit to leningrad, telling of warm welcome by soviet officials. (7 min, poor: viet 1300 1400)

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east europe

88 viktor olenichev on cooperation between cema countries. (rpt enginter 141410) (finnish 141630)

89 anon "in interests of raising well-being of people" on cema coop in sci reearh. (6 min, poor: albanian 1530)

90 anon on activities, cooperation among socialist countries this year, incl production increase, technical exchanges and econ coop and joint measures for security. (7 min; kor 0930)

91 moscow radio program: "along path toward integration."
 miscellaneous items on 25th anniversary of cema transportation
 commission and future cooperation among socialist
 countries in this respect; report on relations between bulgarian
 and soviet cold-air machine combines; department official at sovi
 ministry of light industry talks on cooperation with bulgarian
 ministry of light industry; talk by bulgarian journalist
 stefka kafedzhieva on her visit to armenia, and musical
 program (30 min: bul 1630)

92 special prog "in socist cntries": a) (krichivskiy)
 yrender on major events in socist cntries (5 min); b) chief
 of romanian deleg to 14th mtg of edu bureau chiefs of socist
 cntries on impression of mtg (2.5 min) c) report on eco, trade
 coop btwn poland, lithuania, belorussia (3 min); d) weekly news
 roundup about socist cntries (3.5 min). (total 14 min: mand 0700)

93 soviet historian (vasiliy komin) on 50th anniv of leipzig
 trial of georgi dimitrov. (7 min, poor: albanian 1530)

94 viktor levin on cssr federal assembly adoption of developme
 plan for 1984. (sent: home 1600)

95 diary of ussr-cssr cooperation: report on moscow friendship
 house meeting 12 december marking 40th anniv ussr-cssr friendship
 treaty, quoting zorin, former soviet ambassador to ussr (1.5 min)
 and hanes, head of visiting cssr delegation (1.5 min), on value of
 friendship and cooperation (5 min); mikhal vevrus, head of intnatl
 dept of cssr-ussr friendship assn, on result of current visit
 to ussr; note on recent festival of cssr drama in ussr and
 theatrical contacts between two countries; managing director of
 chepos foreign trade corporation outlines contacts with ussr to
 mutual benefit. (czech/slovak 1700)

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96 boris melnichenko reviews gdr socioeconomic performance in 1983, citing statistics and quoting gdr press on value of gdr cooperation with ussr and other socialist countries. (enginter 1410 italian 1800 port 1800 german 1600 czech/slovak 1600 polish 1500 serbo 1700; anon: hung 2000 kor 1330)

97 "on road of friendship" program for hungarian listeners:

andre molnar, chief counsellor in hungarian commercial mission in ussr, speaks abotu beneficial econ relations between hungary and ussr (3 min); report on laser exhibitions which ussr held in budapest recently (3 min); andras rosza, moscow rep of hungarian travel enterprise, reviews touristic coop between two countries (8 min); report on grape growing and wine making cooperation between hungary and soviet georgia. (hungarian 2000)

98 viktor olenichev on washington's discriminatory actions against poland. (rehash enginter 131531) (10 min: spanla 0000)

99 polish journalist (jerry krashesky) on polish econ situation and u.s. actions against poland. (5.5 min: spanla 2300)

100 "at an acute angle" on leaders of former solidarity. (rpt polish 151500) (polish 1500)

101 "on friendship trail": miscellaneous items illustrating aspects of soviet-polish friendship and cultural cooperation and contacts. (polish 1400)

102 rodyonov, vice chmn central board of soviet-polish friendship society, extends greetings to forthcoming congress of polish-soviet friendship society, quotes lenin on need forish independence. (4 min: polish 1500)

ideology

103 "what is communism?": afonin reply defining communism. (rpt engna 070001) (engna 0001)

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military

104 summaries ustinov speech at 14 dec moscow mtg btwn ussr defense min ldrshp and veterans of soviet armed forces. (home 141745) (3 min: mayak 1530 finnish 141630; one min: finnish 141630)

105 maksim nikulin reportage on visit by service veterans to moscow higher command college named after rsfr supreme soviet, citing intvws with some veterans who recount their war experiences and express gratitude that homeland has not forgotten their deeds. (3 min: home 0700 orbita 0700)

106 i serve the soviet union: report on service veterans meeting ussr defense ministry leadership, during which ustinov spoke, quoting stmts by academy students; aleksey chumakov on training exercise at practice ground of one of artillery units of far eastern military district, incl intvws with instructors and trainees; topic of day: lt-gen volkoganov discussing nato week in brussels, stressing that this session was no exception from general rule of nato meetings in that they tend to whip up arms race and accelerate rate of military preps of alliance, touching on andropov's 24 nov proposals, greenham common issue and deployment of euromissiles in various nato countries and their reaction, and also soviet union's counter-measures in gdr and cssr. (7 min); aleksandr abramov visiting moscow state farm which has an asphalt road and many

young lads serving in army, citing intvws; corr reviewing listeners letters serving in forces enquiring about their statutory rights, citing reply from col justic stanislav morozov on family housing benefits and on tax relief for single men; fighting men and sport: corr kim kukholev visits military college sports hall and intvws gym teacher and students. (home 1100) -18- 17 DEC 1983

space/science

107 yevgeniy kachanov citing aviation week and space technology report that pentagon has completed drawing up a plan for creation of a laser weapon system designed for deployment in space, quoting time magazine that another step has been taken to bring world closer to 'star wars', scoring recent decision adopted by reagan to approve a 5-yr plan for accelerated development of space weapons. (3 min: mayak 1030)

108 yuriy reshetnikov discussing reagan's space war preps, re announcement by u.s. defense department officials that a substantial increase is need in current spending to develop technologies for space-age warfare envisaged by reagan admin. (sent: enginter 2100)

109 "questions and answers": incl reply to african listeners on soviet space missions. (rpt somali 301600 on 1 dec list) (somali 1600)

110 sci observer on recent soviet cosmic flights. (5.5 min: polish 1400)

111 sidelights from soviet union: incl report on soviet space research program. (4 min: german 1700)

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112 pravda editorial on output of consumer goods, noting large enterprises urged to speed up growth of consumer goods output. (orbita 0001 0200 home 0400)

113 reports on regular meeting of politburo of cpsu, summarizing items discussed. (mayak 161800) (8-3 min: mayak 0130 0300 0430 0500 orbita 0001 0200 home 0400 enginter 0710 1010 1410 1810 2110 frenchinter 162100 spencuba 0100 italian 1800 german 1600 spanish 162000 turkish 1400 persian 1500 1700 swahili 1730 polish 1500 bulgarian 1630 serbo 1700 kor 1330 viet 1000 camb 1330 lao 1300 hind 1130 burm 1430 urdu 1200 1300 beng 1500)

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114 tass commentator vsevolod lavrentyev on upcoming elections
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115 lev volodarskiy, chief of sov csd, on sov natl econ development.
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116 aleksandra volodina re scheduled supreme soviet elections
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117 visitors: thongbai thongpao, vice pres thai writers assn:
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